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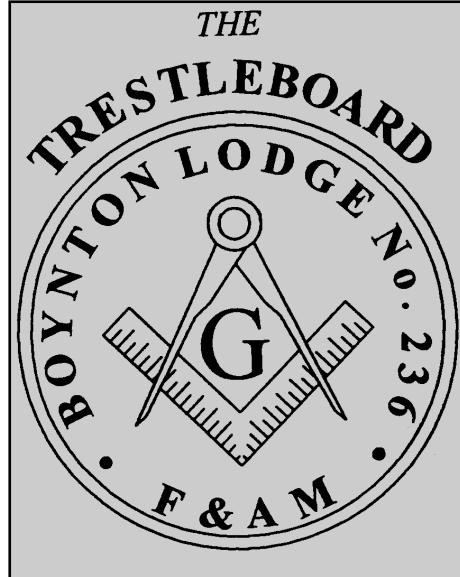
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**May 13, 2004**  
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**E. A. Degree**

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**Calendar of Events**

Boca-Delray #171- 1st and 3rd Thur, 7:30 p.m.  
4083 NW 4th Ave, Boca Raton, FL  
Phone: (561) 368-5841  
Lantana #372- 2nd and 4th Tues, 7:30 p.m.  
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Gulf Stream #245- 1st and 3rd Wed, 7:30 p.m.  
421 Jennings Ave, Greenacre, FL 33463  
Phone: (561) 965-0339  
Unity #333- 1st and 3rd Monday, 7:30 p.m.  
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Harmonia #138- 2nd and 4th Mon, 7:30 p.m.  
1896 Palm Bch Lakes Blvd, W Palm Beach, FL  
Phone: (561) 640-9115  
Palmwood #303- 1st and 3rd Mon, 7:30 p.m.  
845 Bradley St, West Palm Beach, FL  
Jupiter #340-2nd and 4th Tues, 7:30 p.m.  
600 S. Loxahatchee Dr, Jupiter, FL  
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## FROM THE EAST

Springtime has officially begun and, as a result, many of our brothers will be traveling north for the summer. While that may be the case, I am delighted to inform you that we had sixty-six brothers in attendance at our last meeting. Ten petitions for dual membership, affiliation and the Three Degrees were read as well. Freemasonry is certainly alive and well at Boynton Lodge No. 236.

Our April 22nd meeting was called for the purpose of conducting the Entered Apprentice Degree for Bro. Michael Floering. Of special interest was the fact that the degree team was mostly composed of Masons who were raised in the past year. S.W. David Curtis was in the East for the degree and performed admirably. Junior Steward Jeremy Allen was in the South and Junior Steward James Butscher sat in the West and Junior Steward Don Swartwood was Junior Deacon. Senior Steward Ray Schilke and Junior Steward Nabil Karroum performed in these two respective seats. Senior Deacon John Karroum and our Chaplain, R.W. David Lund, completed the degree team. W. Kevin Sweeney performed the Writing Ceremony, R.W. David Lund and Senior Steward Ray Schilke conducted the Lecture and, finally, W. Carl Lipton delivered the Charge. I want to thank these brothers for the time they have invested preparing for this degree. Their hard work was evident in the wonderful work that was displayed. Brother Floering, welcome to The Craft and, to your special journey into the world that is Freemasonry. Remember, Freemasonry is a way of life. Freemasonry makes good men better.

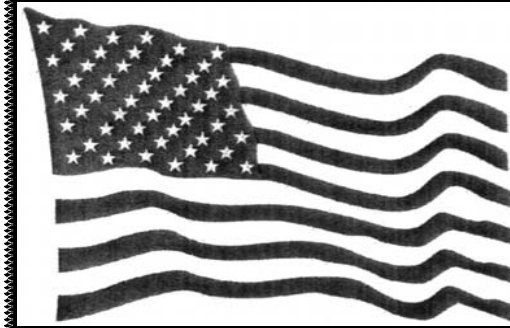
Briefly, during the course of this meeting, W. Carl Lipton announced the sale of engraved paver bricks for installation at the lodge. W. Carl indicated he would be selling these bricks in lots of twenty and, once all twenty were sold, they would be installed. As a show of support, I purchased the first paver and minutes later all twenty bricks had been sold. Well done Brethren! This is a strong sign of support for our lodge and a nice way to be remembered by your brothers.

The weekend of July 23rd, 2004 will see the annual visitation of Arawak Lodge No. 8877 of Freeport, Bahamas. We are currently working on the details for this weekend and will be making information available as arrangements become more final. This September a group of brothers will be heading to Scotland for a week. This is a visit to the Saint Andrews Lodge scheduled for September 1 – 9, 2004. This trip will incorporate visits to other sites of Masonic interest as well.

The Annual Golf Tournament, hosted by The Masonic Square Club, is scheduled to take place October 30, 2004 at the Atlantis Golf Club. Bro. Bob Koppelman is again the chairman for his event. I know that he has great plans in store for this year's tournament. I was informed that thanks to Bro. Bob King, a Cadillac has already been secured for the hole-in-one prize! I have pledged a high level of support on the part of our lodge for this year's tournament. I am counting on many brothers to volunteer and pledge their support for this important event. Keep in mind that this event is our premier fund-raiser so, please mark this date in your calendars now!

Brethren, as we head into the summer months, we should enjoy the fact that our Lodge is healthy and that attendance to meetings is strong. Of course, we will embrace the new members to our Lodge and those men beginning their journey into Freemasonry. We will continue to share in the special bond between our Lodge, The Arawak Lodge and, The Saint Andrews Lodge. Let us not forget, however, that this is a result of many brothers, past and present, who share the vision of Freemasonry.

Our lodge is very special in that we are an extremely active and involved Masonic chapter. It is, however, my hope that we are able to become increasingly involved with our community this year. Local events and charities take place on an ongoing basis. I feel we should be involved in these activities as much as is possible. We have been incredibly successful in building relationships that require crossing oceans. I know that, with a small amount of effort, we can perform miracles here at home.



## DUES!

**Dues are our Annual Obligation. Have you paid them yet?**

**If you have, then your due card was enclosed with the trestleboard. If not, why not? If you have a problem let the Secretary know!**

**If you have paid your dues and do not have your card send a note or e-mail the secretary for a duplicate. We realize you need your card to visit other lodges.**

**Brethren,  
At the request of Unity Lodge No. 333, the May Dist. School of Instruction will be scheduled for 7 pm, Tuesday, May 18, 2004. They wish to practice & perfect the Ent. App. Degree.  
Yours in the Faith,  
Bob Stearns,  
Dist. Inst.**